

Appl. No. 10/583,515
Amendment dated May 6, 2009
Reply to Office Action of April 14, 2009

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

The undersigned attorney appreciates the Examiner's willingness to discuss the outstanding rejections to the claims during a telephone interview on April 24, 2009. During the telephone interview, the undersigned attorney and the Examiner discussed the amendments made to claims 1 and 2 in order to overcome the rejection of the claims under 35 U.S.C. §101, and also discussed the amendments to the claims made in order to overcome the rejections under 35 U.S.C. §112, first paragraph as failing to comply with the written description requirement. It is noted that claims 14 and 15 have been withdrawn from examination.

The Applicant believes the case is now in condition for allowance, and respectfully requests that the Examiner allow the case to issuance in its current amended form.

Respectfully submitted,

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